WASHINGTON.

Speculations on the Eve of the Meeting of Congress.

The President to Ask for an Extension of Military Power.

Schurz About to be Ruled Out of the Republican Caucus.

THE SPANISH TROUBLES.

[Special Telegraphic Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Owing to the absence of Secretaries Fish, Belknap, Boutwell and Delano from the city little or nothing was done at the Cabinet meeting to-day, which is the last one that will be held before Congress convenes.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

It was announced, and was completed and manuscripts copies made of it for transmission by telegraph on Monday next, when it will be duly sent to Congress, together with the annual report.

POLITICAL DISABILITIES.

Leading Conservative Republicans to and out of Congress and from all sections of the country have urged the President in the last two weeks to recommend Congress to pass a general act removing all political disabilities imposed by the Fifteenth amendment. He will take advverse grounds however to the division, and so far from favoring general amnesty, will ask Congress to extend that feature of

THE KUKLUX ACT,

which provides for the suspension of the writ of habeas corpus in the South beyond the end of the coming session to which it is now limited. It is evidently intended to hold the martial-law programme over the South beyond the Presidential election. Radical members of Congress who favor this policy say that, in order to avoid direct legislation, Congress will take a recess next summer only, the last week in November, thereby virtually continuing the session and the operation of the Kuklux act with it. If the anti-Republicans develope any special strength in the House, a two-thirds vote may possibly be obtained for universal amnesty, but if will take fifty-nine Republicans added to the whole Democratic vote to carry it. The Senate is even more doubtful.

SUMNER.

It is settled that an effort is to be made in a Senatorial Republican caucus, next week, to place Mr. Sumner at the head of the Foreign Relations Committee again, but it is likely he intended that a majority of Administration Senators will oppose the restoration. It will, however, be favored by a few of them. It is stated in support of this opposition to restoring Mr. Sumner, that the latter has shown no damaging strength against the Administration since his deposition, and that to give him rank again would be a conciliation calculated to embarass the Administration if it be continued in power next fall, and if it desired to renew the San Domingo annexation project in the third session of this Congress. It is thus admitted that it is not to be revived at present. It is regarded as doubtful if Senator Schurz is admitted to the Republican caucus.

OUR RELATIONS WITH SPAIN.

Dispatches sent hence, affecting to discredit the telegrams of more enterprising papers, and implying that our relations with Spain are amicable, and representations to the contrary unfactional, are based on mere *ad-captandum* assertions. The fact is that diplomatic correspondence to be sent to Congress before New Year's will show that our relations with Spain are more trifling than amicable, and that the sending of vessels of war to three different places in the Gulf to protect American vessels from Spanish seizure, and American citizens from Spanish outrage, is not a very sensational but a very serious proceeding.

THE FLORIDA AND HORNET.

A member of the Cabinet stated to-day that this Government had at last made up its mind to put an end to the Spanish menace of the Florida at St. Thomas, and the Hornet at Portau-Prince.

[To the Associated Press.]

THE PUBLIC DEBT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—The monthly debt statement for November shows a reduction of $3,366,080.

CABINET MEETING.

Secretaries Boutwell, Belknap and Delano were the only members absent from the Cabinet meeting to-day.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—The following is the recapitulation of the public debt:

Debt bearing interest in lawful money—	
Coin bonds, six per cent	$1,577,133,150 00
Bonds, five per cent	277,358,700 00
Principal	1,854,490,850 00
Interest	36,954,939 42
Debt bearing interest in lawful money—	
Certificates of indebtedness, four per cent	37,810,000 00
Navy pension fund, three per cent	14,350,000 00
Certificates at three per cent	33,490,000 00
Principal	38,168,000 00
Interest	944,780 00
Debt on which interest ceased since maturity—	
Principal	1,708,297 26
Interest	291,536 34
Debt bearing no interest—	
Old demand and legal tender notes	357,592,801 25
Fractional currency	40,106,098 05
Coin certificates	24,925,240 00
Principal	422,666,977 30
Unclaimed Interest	1,213,193
Total debt—	
Principal	2,317,193,194 56
Interest	37,508,387 89
Total	2,354,631,518 45
Cash in Treasury—	
Coin interest	36,256,554 84
Currency	3,126,989 71
Debt less cash in Treasury December 1st, 1871	2,018,351,387 85
Decrease during month	3,462,080 18
Decrease since March 1st, 1871	74,457,479 07
Decrease since March 1st, 1870, to March 1st, 1871	304,754,413 09
Bonds issued to Pacific railroad Companies, interest payable in lawful money—	
Principal outstanding	64,618,832 00
Interest accrued and not yet paid	1,615,470 80
Interest paid by United States	13,696,677 41
Interest repaid by transportation of mails	3,317,907 44
Balance of interest paid by United States	9,374,567 97

The Secretary of the Treasury has issued an order to the Assistant Treasurer at New York calling for a million and a quarter three per cent. certificates.

INTERNAL REVENUE RECEIPTS

to-day are $1,071,761; for November, $9,641,827; fiscal year to date, $57,236,981.

DEATH OF DOUGLAS WALLACH.

W. D. Wallach died this morning at Culpeper, Va., age about 60 years. He was formerly a clergyman or editor of the Washington Evening Star.

TREASURER SPINNER'S REPORT.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Treasurer Spinner's report states that, notwithstanding the unfavorable circumstances at the time of putting the five per cents. loan on the European market, it has all been taken at favorable rates, realizing one hundred cents on the dollar, the new French loan, put on the market at the same time, realized only eighty cents. He favors the payment of interest on our bonds in such countries, where such bonds are taken, and believes if this system is adopted the remaining loan of 4½ per cents. and 5 per cents. will soon be disposed of in Europe at par. He devotes considerable space to the refutation of the charges against him by the newspapers of New York, which had been previously published. He suggests the appointment of a third auditor to audit and settle the agency accounts. He argues an increase of salaries to secure competent clerks.

THE HAVANA AFFAIR.

There was no mention whatever made at the Cabinet meeting to-day concerning the events at Havana, nor has any recent intelligence been received from that quarter. It was said this afternoon by one prominent Republican connected with the administration that we have no quarrel with the Spanish authorities, and the return of the Alabama claims and the Cuban waters was from prudential considerations only.

The Government will hereafter, and until a better condition of things shall exist in the island of Cuba, keep a strong naval force in Cuban waters. While this will mean a warlike significance, it is designed to be an intimation to Spain that if that power is not willing or unable to secure peace and good order on the island, in case of insurrection or other grave public disturbance, the fleet will be used in such case for the protection of American citizens and their interests in Cuba, if needs be, to the full extent and power of this Government.

ROSECRAN'S REPORT.

The report of the Secretary of the Navy will recommend more liberal appropriations by Congress, those of last year being insufficient for an effective force, not more that thirty or forty vessels being now afloat out of one hundred on the list, inclusive of fifty iron-clads, nearly all of which are laid up and out of service. The Secretary will recommend the repeal of the

POSTMASTER GENERAL'S REPORT.

The Postmaster General this afternoon commenced sending to distant points copies of his annual report. He will submit a note to publishers depending on their honor not to print the report in advance of its delivery to Congress. He will again recommend the abolition of the franking privilege, and ask for legislation to relieve the department from delay and embarrassment of readvertising proposals for carrying mails in cases where there have been deceptions and failures by mere mistake, and for a provision for giving contracts to the lowest responsible bidder.

Railroad Suit — Jewelers Charged with Cousing Gold.

TOPEKA, KS., Dec. 1.—In the Circuit Court today, in the case of Robert Bonner vs. Washington, D. C., against the Kansas Pacific Railroad Company, the company was directed to bring into court a sum of $5,000 and a bond for costs may be asked for.

The case of Herschfield & Mitchell, jewelers of Leavenworth, charged manufacturing spurious gold coin, was ignored by the grand jury.

Bill Repealing Female Suffrage Signed by the Governor of Wyoming Territory.

OMAHA, Dec. 1.—Information which appears reliable has been received here that Gov. Campbell, of Wyoming Territory, has signed a bill repealing female suffrage.

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FOREIGN.

Germany Strengthening Her Army—Condition of the Prince of Wales—Death of the Earl of Chesterfield—Bismarck's Last Words—Everything Serene—Minister Jay Given a Thanksgiving Supper in Vienna, and Makes a Speech—The American Loan in London.

GREAT BRITAIN.

CONDITION OF THE PRINCE OF WALES.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—The Morning Bulletin from Sandringham states that there was an increase of fever in the case of the Prince early in the evening yesterday, but as night advanced the fever again partially subsided. The Prince remained comparatively quiet through the remainder of the night.

DEATH OF THE EARL OF CHESTERFIELD.

The Earl of Chesterfield died to-day of typhus fever. He contracted the disease about the same time and in the same locality as the Prince.

A NOISY MEETING.

SIR CHAS. DILKE addressed a meeting at Ballou last night, urging the meeting the studying he came very disorderly. There was some fighting, and the meeting broke up in confusion.

STRIKE IN THE POTTERIES.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—A private cable dispatch says: "Owing to a dispute about wages, the strike which commenced in the Staffordshire potteries of the manufacturing of china, delf, &c., has become general, and all manufacturing is suspended."

FROM THE EARL OF CHESTERFIELD'S DEATH.

The death of the Earl of Chesterfield intensifies the anxiety for the Prince of Wales. The public symathies are for the time all for a person whose life is of so much importance to the country, which was generally dull and flat.

THE QUEEN

has returned to Windsor from Sandringham, where she has been watching by the bedside of the Prince.

FESTIVITIES CONTINUED.

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THIERS' MESSAGE.

PARIS, Dec. 1.—President Thiers, in his message to the National Assembly on reopening the session, refers to the treaty between Essaus and Germany, the commercial convention with England, the military law and the general organization of the administration, but offers no suggestions as to Constitutional changes, and makes no allusion whatever to political subjects.

CONDITION OF PARIS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—A Paris special states that the Government of France is very uneasy, and of late has increased the utmost vigilance. A great display of troops is made in Paris, and all points are guarded by patrols every night, while police by disguised in the most fantastic costumes. The public mind is very unsettled, and the general impression is that the present status of affairs can not last any longer.

THE LAST WORDS OF ROSSEL

to his Republican friends were: "If you have not to-morrow long live the Commune, you are lost. It has always been prætorian and always formed a distinct party, whereas it should be national. The dangerous classes, the real proletaires, will abandoned insurrection. You did not like the men of the eighteenth of March. I did not like them either, but I gave to them in order to restrain them."

THE FRENCH IMPERIALISTS.

PARIS, Dec. 1.—The squadron detailed to guard the shores of Corsica is to remain at Ajaccio for an indefinite time. Three months' supplies have just been sent to the squadron. It is supposed that its object is to prevent any attempt on the part of the imperialists at a rising on the island.

GERMANY.

OBSERVING THANKSGIVING DAY.

BERLIN, Dec. 1.—The American colony observed Thanksgiving yesterday in an appropriate manner. Special divine services in the American Church were held in the morning. In the evening a dinner was given at the Hotel de Rome.

THE ARMY.

In the lower house of the diet yesterday the friendship bill passed its second and second reading by a small majority. The items of expenditure are sharply criticised. The pronounced tone of extravagance, and looked at the time for the budget to be rejected, the opposition was so strong. Minister of War, Roon, in the upper house showed, in a most significant manner that Germany should prepare for the future, that France continues arming for her defeat and would seek it as soon as the indemnity was paid. The opposition has been unsettled, and that should neither be weakened nor neglected. It was only through these representations that the government succeeded in carrying the bill.

PARLIAMENT.

BERLIN, Dec. 1.—The German Parliament closed its sessions to-day.

FRENCHMEN EXECUTED.

The German military authorities at Epernay executed two Frenchmen who killed a German sentinel.

AUSTRIA.

MINISTER JAY GIVES A SUPPER.

VIENNA, Dec. 1.—Jno. Jay, Minister of the United States to Austria, gave a supper last night in celebration of Thanksgiving Day, at which many of the leading Americans in Vienna were present. In some remarks on the occasion, Mr. Jay alluded to the prosperous condition of the Republic, and the end of a fearless press and honest men of all parties, and the successful Commercial Convention between Austria and the United States was significant, he said, of increasing the interests of manufacturing of the two countries, to which the approaching International Exhibition in this capital would give an impetus by presenting American productions for the first time in Eastern Europe by the side of those of Europe. In a allusion by the speaker to Count Andrassy was thrice cheered. Gen. Foot also made a speech, in which he discoursed at some length on the subject of American antiquities.

BELGIUM.

ALL QUIET IN BRUSSELS.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 1.—Baron D'Anethan announced in the Chambers to-day that the king had accepted the resignation of the Ministers, and they had accordingly resigned. The Chambers were then prorogued until the 5th, when a new Ministry was formed. The resignation of the D'Anethan government has had a most tranquilizing effect. The streets are free from crowds, the people seem to be satisfied, and the city is quiet.

The formation of a new Cabinet is entrusted to M. De Theux, leader of the conservative party.

CHINA.

TERRIBLE FLOODS.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 24.—The floods at Tein Sein are unabated. The foreign community fear trouble from the starving population, and ask for vessels of war.

The excitement at Foo Chow has subsided.

VESSELS LOST.

The ship Tarpino, which felt loaded for New York, has been lost.

The weather on the southern coast has been very severe.

PROGRESSION.

The Chinese Government acknowledges the right of Chinese subjects to take out transit passes.

The Shanghai bar will be dredged.

TREATY.

The Japanese have made a treaty with China. Ex-territorial privileges are granted at ports, and the treaty is transferred to those of other powers.

CUBA.

THE MEDICAL STUDENTS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—A Havana special says the bodies of the executed students were refused to their parents. The students sentenced to the chain gang have been working in the streets with criminals since yesterday. The father of one of the former has died from grief and the mothers of two others have become insane.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, Dec. 1—4:30 P. M.—Consols for money 92¾ and for account 92¾; five-twenties, 91; Illinois Central, 87; Erie, 18¾; preferred, 36¾; Atlantic & Great Western, 16¾; 1867's 93; 10-40's 90¾. Petroleum, refined 15s. Tallow 40s 6d. Linseed oil £34 10s.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 1.—P. M.—Cotton, middling uplands 9¼d.; middling Orleans 9⅝@10d.; sales 12,000 bales; speculation and export 2,000 bales; sales for the week 123,000 bales; exports 22,000 bales; speculation 23,000 bales; stock 586,000 bales, including 290,000 American. The week's sales include 84,000 bales; American 18,000 bales; actual export 9,000 bales; stock afloat 382,000 bales; American 141,000 bales. Receipts and shipments from December 1st to December 1st 19,000 bales. Advices from Manchester are less favorable and cause a dullness in the cotton market. Wheat, California 12s 2d; red winter 11s 7d; red spring 10s 10d@11s. Corn 34s. Peas 39s 6d. Pork 79s. Lard 54s. Tallow 40s. Cumberland middlings 8d; short rib middles 52s. Tallow 40s.

AUTHOR, Dec. 1.—Petroleum, refined 46.

PARIS, Dec. 1.—P. M.—Bourse, rentes 56 francs and 95 centimes. Liberal specie in the Bank of France has increased 100,000 francs.

SAN FRANCISCO.

The California Legislature—Death of Ex-Governor Bigler—Vessels Wrecked—Crew Saved—An Editor Acquitted in a Libel Suit.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—The California Legislature meets on Monday next. The inauguration of Governor Booth takes place later in the week. The Senate stands four majority, and the Senate will take some snap action as the Republicans did four years since, relative to the power of contesting elections.

Ex-Governor John Bigler died at Sacramento yesterday.

The bark Hattie C. Bess, of Portland, is a total loss, going ashore on Cape Hatteras. The crew were saved.

In the case of Dr. E. Young, of the Chronicle, indicted for libel at the instance of a prominent manufacturer, the jury rendered a verdict of not guilty.

Retrenchment and Reform in the New Orleans City Government.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 1.—A large and enthusiastic mass meeting of citizens was held to-night at the Merchants' Institute for the purpose of effecting reform and retrenchment in the administration of the city government. Speeches were made by several prominent citizens and resolutions adopted.

MARINE DISASTERS.

Large Number of Vessels Driven Ashore on the St. Lawrence by Ice and Storms.

Great Loss of Life.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—A Quebec telegram states that the St. Lawrence river is filled with floating ice. Vessels are floating up and down the harbor with it. News from below the city reports several vessels ashore, and a Government steamer has been sent to assist them.

The barge Chignecto was sunk at Fort Joli, and several of the crew lost. Several of the survivors will die.

Eight bodies from another sunken vessel were picked up on the ice.

A terrible storm was raging yesterday at Rivier Du Loup, and other fatalities are expected.

VESSELS ASHORE.

QUEBEC, Dec. 1.—The following vessels are reported ashore at different points, being caught in the ice caused by the extraordinary cold weather: The Pearson, Aberdeen, Wimbleton, Corsica and Three Bells and others are in danger. No steamer will dare venture to go to their assistance. It is hoped many will get off, but the weather continues very cold. Canoes and men are being sent from here by special trains to rescue them.

Terrific Gale on the Eastern Coast of Nova Scotia—Many Vessels Wrecked and Considerable Loss of Life.

BOSTON, Dec. 1.—A special dispatch to the Traveller from Halifax says a hurricane visited the southern side of the island of Cape Breton on the night of the 27th, doing immense damage to houses, barns, trees and the shipping. The gale began at 8 o'clock and lasted until 9 o'clock next morning. The wind was more terrific than ever known before. The public wharf at Port Hood was swept away, and in the villages several houses were blown down. A number of vessels at anchorage at Port Mulgrave dragged their anchors and passed out of the strait to sea. The barkentine brig Jabez, from Charlottetown, was wrecked on Fox Island and only one man was saved.

Ten schooners were wrecked in the Strait of Canso.

It is feared there has been considerable loss of life by the gale.

Schooner Ashore in Winfield Bay.

GODERICH, ONT., Dec. 1.—The gun-boat Prince Alford has arrived from Georgian bay. She reports the schooner Gold Hunter ashore in Winfield bay. She thinks she can be got off in the spring. She also found the wreck of the tug Lewis, and reports her engine and boiler in twelve feet of water.

NEW YORK.

The Bible War at Hunter's Point—Mayor Hall Not to be Arrested—A Fast Doctor—Arthur Takes Charge of the Custom-House—Court Personal Items—Rumored Confession by Connolly, Etc.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Connolly is stated to have cried like a child when taken to jail. He has private apartments there. He lacks four hundred thousand dollars bail. Several friends called yesterday, but none went on the necessary bonds.

THE BIBLE WAR.

In consequence of insults and threats against the principal of the school at Hunter's Point by Catholics, the respectable citizens have formed a committee to guard the school. Yesterday one of the trustees demanded the key of the school and of the teachers' desks from the principal and refused to deliver, but it is believed he intends closing the building.

ALEXIS.

after inspecting West Point Academy, returned here this afternoon.

EX-COMPTROLLER CONNOLLY

is beginning to despair of securing bail, and the sheriff intimates that he cannot do it in any thing. Wm. Bradley offered himself to-day as security for $50,000.

THE SHERIFF'S BOARDMEN.

Three of Tweed's bondsmen have signified their intention to withdraw their names from the list of bondsmen, but have not served. He will share the fate of Connolly.

MAYOR HALL

has not been arrested. The sheriff denies the report that he has issued a warrant for his arrest, or any knowledge of the issuance of an order of arrest. The Mayor stated to-day that he had not been officially informed of the action of the Committee of Seventy, and declined to speak on the subject of his resignation.

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TELEGRAMS.

The Missouri river is gorged with ice at St. Joe.

The skating season in New York opened on Thursday.

The Delaware and Hudson canal is closed by ice at Rondout, N. Y.

The Grand Duke visited the military academy at West Point yesterday.

The steamer Algeria, from Liverpool, arrived at New York last evening.

It is said that Charles O'Conor declines to defend the South Carolina Kuklux.

Cholera of the worst type is raging, with great violence, in Delhi, Hindoostan.

The construction of the Missouri river bridge at St. Joseph has been commenced.

Water from the Pawtucket river was introduced into Providence, R. I., on Thursday.

The steamships Ohio, from Baltimore, and Washington, arrived at Liverpool yesterday.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company took possession of the New Jersey roads recently leased by them on Thursday night.

A prominent Cuban in New York states that ten thousand stands of arms were recently landed in Cuba, and reached the revolutionists in safety.

The Welland canal is rapidly closing. A large number of vessels are now in the canal, and tugs are endeavoring to break the ice sufficiently to let them out.

Navigation of the Connecticut river has about closed. The New York boats were stopped at Saybrook yesterday. Persons were crossing on the ice at Thompsonville.

JNO. W. Cheney became involved in a difficulty with the negro deck-hands of the steamer Great Republic, below Baton Rouge, yesterday, during which he shot and dangerously wounded three of them.

The match for $6,000, mile heats, yesterday, at New York, was won by Kingston and mate against Honest Allen. There were four heats. Time, 2:25, 2:21¼, 2:23¾, and 2:23. The owner of Allen protested against the result on the ground that Martin drove the winning horses, he having been suspended from the racing calendar.

FIRES.

Fire in Bloomington, Ill.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—In Bloomington, Ill., this morning, McClun's building, corner of Main and North streets, was destroyed by fire. It was occupied by McClun as a furniture warehouse, and Evans' grocery. Several adjoining buildings were also burned. Loss, $50,000. Insured for $33,000 in the North British and Mercantile, Royal, Phœnix, etc.

Destructive Conflagration in Liberty, Missouri.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 1.—A fire at Liberty, Mo., on Wednesday night, destroyed the stores of Muller & Co., F. W. Allen, M. Goldman, Winhoff & Co., the Liberty Savings Bank, several lawyers' offices, and a billiard room. Loss about $16,000.

Hotel Partially Burned—Several Persons Injured.

NEWBURG, N. Y., Dec. 1.—The United States Hotel here was partially burned this morning. Several persons were severely injured by jumping from the windows. Loss $16,000. No insurance.

Cotton Mill Burned.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 1.—The Greystone mill, in North Providence, owned by R. W. Cady and run by Zebedee Whipple, was burned this morning. Insurance, $80,000 on mill and machinery, and $5,000 on stock. Loss not ascertained.

Broom Factory Destroyed.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1.—The broom factory of Eastburn Brothers, on Vine street, was burned this morning. Loss heavy, partially insured. The shoe store of John W. Frambes, adjoining, was damaged by water.

MEXICO.

Mazatlan Declares for Diaz—The Revolutionists — What They Are Doing.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—Arrived—Steamer Idaho, from Mexican ports. The city of Mazatlan has pronounced in favor of Diaz for President, and is expelling the Federal officers, who have taken refuge on board the American gunboat Idaho.

The revolutionists are acting in the name of the party of Progress. The form of pronunciation is as follows: Matito Mazana, Governor of Sinaloa; Ignoro Tapia, Prefect.

Pedro Valdez, captain of the port of Mazana, has issued a proclamation reducing the export duty on Mexican dollars from eight to four per cent., and doubling five per cent., and abolishing tight house duties entirely.

The Governor has fled. The legal Governor, Buclas, was at Clician, and would doubtless attempt to expel the revolutionists.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—Dispatches from Tucson say the garrison of Guaymas, Sonora, will revolt, and refuse to correct the result of November 30th, and pronouncing for Diaz. After levying heavy contributions on the merchants, they embarked on board a small vessel for Port Altata, expecting to capture that place without trouble. Gov. Esquers raised troops and immediately commenced pursuit, and dispatched a force down the coast in pursuit of the revolutionists. The latter were reinforced to some extent by part generally in the revolts either at Sonora or Sinaloa.

At Mazatlan merchants paying duties on goods to revolutionary authorities were notified by the regular officers that they would be compelled to pay the full amount again to the government as soon as order was established.

OHIO.

A Murderer Confesses and is Sentenced to the Penitentiary — Death from Chloroform—Chinese News — Death of an Aged Minister.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 1.—On Monday last, Michael Dehyner, who had heretofore been twice tried on the charge of murdering Mr. Eliot, near Hopkinsville, Ohio, some two years ago, came into court, plead guilty of manslaughter, and was sentenced to the penitentiary for three years.

DEATH FROM CHLOROFORM.

Miss Sarah Hughes was found dead in her bed at Hamilton, O., yesterday morning. She had retired for the night before with a handkerchief saturated with chloroform, which she used for an aching tooth, and falling asleep inhaled the anesthetic to such an extent as to cause death. Some years ago Miss Hughes won quite a reputation with the pen.

DEATH OF A MINISTER.

William Scarborough, fifty years a Baptist minister, died yesterday at Chillicothe, Ohio. He preached in the morning and at 2 o'clock in the afternoon was a corpse.

FOR RAILROAD PURPOSES.

The Board of Councilmen to-day passed an ordinance vacating Eggleston avenue and Kilgour street, and granting the same for railroad purposes. The Aldermen having acted previously on this question it is now settled.

PROBABILITIES.

Northerly winds with clearing weather are probable for Saturday on South Atlantic and Gulf coasts. Western winds with pleasant weather on the Middle and Eastern States. Increasing southwest winds on the lakes, with falling barometer and cloudy weather. Cautionary signals continue for this evening at Wilmington, Charleston, Savannah and Jacksonville, and are ordered for Georgetown, Rochester and Buffalo.

James Patton, charged with the Aberdeen murder, was acquitted at Georgetown, Ky., today.

Thanksgiving Day in Pittsburgh—A Newspaper Changes Hands—Conductor Killed.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 1.—Thanksgiving was more generally observed than usual. Services were held in nearly all the churches. In the afternoon the Eighteenth division of militia paraded, making a considerable display.

The Pittsburgh Gas Company, of this city, has been purchased by R. D. Thompson, late of the Commercial, and others, and will probably be issued as a morning paper.

J. Lynch, freight conductor on the P., Ft. W. & Chicago, was killed at the transfer station in this city by being jostled from a train.

The Georgia Legislature—New Line between Louisville and the South Atlantic Seaboard.

ATLANTA, GA., Dec. 1.—Some time ago Mr. Burton, a republican member, introduced a resolution looking to the payment for emancipated slaves. The Legislature to-day passed, by an overwhelming majority, Democratic, a resolution defeating and condemning Burton's measure. The resolution censures Burton's resolution as tending to evil.

The Louisville and Ohio line to the South Atlantic seaboard, with steam facilities to Europe, is nearly complete.

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The Pittsburgh Gas Company, of this city, has been purchased by R. D. Thompson, late of the Commercial, and others, and will probably be issued as a morning paper.

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Struggle Between an Officer and Thieves — A Desperate Character Killed—Death of Hon. Robert S. Gantt—Negro Shooting Affray.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Dec. 1.—An engagement occurred on the line of Pope county, the other day, between a deputy sheriff and some horse thieves. Several shots were fired, but the thieves escaped.

John Williams, a desperate character, was shot and killed by his brother-in-law, Whitehurst, in Franklin county, a few days ago. A family quarrel was the cause.

Hon. Robert S. Gantt, a prominent lawyer, and leading Democratic politician of this State, died yesterday.

Thos. Watson, colored, was shot by George Myers, colored, last night in a drunken row. The wound will probably prove fatal.

GAS METERS.

How They Work—The Whole Operation Explained by An Expert in Court.

Testimony of Chas. Hermany.

Yesterday, before Judge Stites, in the Common Pleas Court, in the case of Geo. F. Fuller against the Louisville Gas Company, Chas. Hermany, a witness for the defendant, was recalled, and examined by Mr. Bijur as follows:

Question—I will trouble you to explain to the jury the method of testing the meter, and its manner of keeping out the register.

Answer—What we call the index of a gas meter is a combination of mechanical expedients called cog-wheels, pinions and spurs. The starting one of which, as I illustrated on Wednesday, is connected directly with the central shaft carrying in the diaphragm. You will perceive that the indicator of this meter is inclosed. There is no access to it whatever except by vision, unless a partial destruction of the meter is accomplished. The meter is hermetically sealed; nobody has access to it but the gas company, and no one, not likely that the reader (inspector) will make the same mistake more than once.

The Louisville Gas Company has in hand records up to 1,000,000 feet. The same kind indicators are put upon each different sized meter, they vary with the capacity of the meter. The indicator goes on registering until a million of feet are consumed, when it returns to zero. The operation is repeated in all the meters (central) shaft. There is now in operation this fact in its present condition. the present process of destruction. Consequently I would not attempt to answer it for the reason that it is in an abnormal condition. It can not work in this condition for it is in process of destruction. Who can tell that these plates (on the diaphragm) were not bent in starting the meter apart? For that reason I would not attempt to measure it. Another reason is, suppose it was in perfect working order, and I should undertake to put the square and compass and the diaphragm and the difference between the two measurements are declared to be equivalents to the displacement in the diaphragm. It can not work in this condition to force amounted to two cubic inches which would be equivalent to a depth of water in the cubic cup of about one-eighth of an inch. From the bottom of this vessel (cup) is equal to 16 cubic inches, and would fill a cylinder of large diameter of accuracy as is desirable in such matters. But if all the diaphragm plates were removed, I would still object to this measurement for this simple reason: his measurement is simply the travel from the apex of one pyramid back to the other and the base. There are three measurements, length, breadth and depth. These are the only

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Cuts and stereotype advertisements double price.

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Three months	3 13
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THE WEEKLY.

Single copy, one year	$2 00
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Five to ten copies, one year, each	1 75
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An extra copy is allowed to the club agent for every club of ten at $1 75 each, and an additional extra copy for every additional ten subscribers, and an extra copy is allowed for every club of twenty at $1 25 each, and an additional extra copy for every additional twenty subscribers.

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Money may be sent in postoffice orders or drafts, and when these cannot be procured, by mail at our risk: in the latter instance the money to be inclosed in the presence of the Postmaster, whose certificate to that effect is in case of its loss.

Specimen copies sent gratis on application.

KENTUCKY NEWS.

Mr. Thos. Hutchinson, of Danville, fell in his door-way last week, and broke his thigh-bone. He has suffered very greatly since, and at his advanced age will not probably be able to recover the use of the limb.

Rev. Wm. L. Breckinridge, D. D., of Pleasant Hill, Mo., late president of Center College, who was on a visit to his brother, Dr. Robt. J. Breckinridge, at Danville, preached in the Second Presbyterian Church there last Sunday.

The Lexington Statesman says: "Sometime since we expressed our preference for the Hon. B. F. Bristow as the Republican candidate for the Presidency. Since then we have received direct information that General Bristow does not desire his friends to urge his nomination—and, much as we think he is fit for it, So urgent has General Bristow made this request that we do not longer feel at liberty to keep his name before the public in that connection."

The Clark County Democrat explains: "Winchester is undoubtedly the best cattle market in Kentucky, with the exception of the cities of Louisville and Covington. Cattle are brought here from every quarter, and offered for sale on our country-court days. Nearly every court day we have cattle here from Tennessee and Virginia, and we always have them from all the surrounding counties, and from various counties in the State. We are credibly informed that on last court day a gentleman from a point in Madison county, which is about twenty miles distant from this place, brought a drove of cattle over here to sell, and when they were put up they were bought by his nearest neighbor, who came here for the purpose of buying a drove."

SOUTHERN NEWS.

A double daily train now runs on the North and Spartanburg road.

A Kansas City omnibus driver fell heir to two millions in France.

Mr. Enoch Roughton, an old and well-known citizen of Washington county, Georgia, is dead.

Murfreesboro, Tenn., is done quarreling with the gas company, and the streets are again lighted.

A lady 73 years of age, living in Columbiana, Shelby county, Ala., is the happy mother of a new-born infant.

The Mobile Register is discussing twelve million bushels of coal at Pittsburgh. It hasn't yet heard of the rise.

Wash. Freeman and Bill Lasseter, two emancipateds, had a carving match in Griffin, Ga., Saturday night. Freeman was sliced in the neck.

The Rome Commercial says: "They say now that Bullock has taken the pleurisy. That's right. He took everything but the pleurisy before he had smallpox."

Wilcox county, Alabama, elected a negro sheriff, but he was unable to qualify, and so the Governor has commissioned Mr. McWilliams, the Democratic candidate.

There is a wild pigeon roost near Tuscaloosa, and the boys are having a fine time. The Observer says a small party killed 900 pigeons on Wednesday night of last week.

The old Tennessee and Warrior-river Railroad Company has reorganized and elected Hon. Ira Smithfield, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, president. They talk like putting the road through forthwith.

The number of hogs that have been slaughtered in Nashville, by three houses, since the opening of the present packing season, aggregates about 8,300 head. Average weight from 250 to 300 pounds.

The negro who was shot at Talbotton, Ga., last week, by a man named Finley, is dead. Finley has vamosed, and the American says the row has proved a blessing to the community by ridding it of the meanest negro and the worst white man in it.

The Worrell theatrical troupe dissolved at Savannah last Saturday night, after its last performance, and Irene, Jenny, Harry Jackson, Eddy return to New York. Jenny, Harry Jackson, the comedian, and the Leon brothers have joined the Templeton company.

Hezekiah Jackson, "a harmless old negro man," says the Meridian (Miss.) Gazette, "went to his door on Saturday night of last week, and was shot dead by Mitchell Welsh, a negro who had concealed himself behind a fence. Welsh was arrested and is in jail."

A train on the Georgia railroad jumped off the track a few nights ago, ran a hundred yards on the cross-ties, and of its own accord jumped back again, and proceeded without damage, except to break the leg of an Augusta policeman, but how he can give no account.

The Lebanon Herald, one of the sprightliest of the weekly newspapers of Tennessee, has passed under the control of R. L. C. White & Co., Mr. W. A. Wade having retired from the old firm of Wade & White. The entire business management of the establishment, in addition to the editorial conduct of the paper, will devolve upon Dr. White.

A pet monkey in Mobile escaped from its master, and went scrambling along the window-cornices of the high buildings in the vicinity. Very naturally a large crowd collected, and, amused by his actions, set to cracking jokes at the Darwinian theory. Some were talking of the descent of man, the next of man, etc., when the most particularly interested cried *in the descent of the monkey.*

At a meeting of the Board of Trade in Kayjoe's Hall, in Chattanooga, Wednesday night, the following was adopted: *Resolved*, That the Board of Mayor and Aldermen be requested to take such immediate action as they may deem best to secure the co-operation of city and State Legislatures in the South, in procuring the favorable action of the Legislature of Kentucky on the charter of the Cincinnati and Southern railroad, that the secretary furnish said board with a copy of this resolution.

The Albany (Ga.,) News says: "Our planters are just now anxiously awaiting the effect of the frost and sunshine on the unmatured fruit. There is an immense crop of bolls, from the size of a chinquepin to full grown, and the anxiety about any of them opening is intense. They were green and growing when the cold weather set in, and it is questionable whether the unmatured fruit will open. A few days will decide the matter. The crop reported is nearly gathered, and does not exceed half the yield planted for.

A Florida letter says: "The hand of disease has pressed heavily upon all portions of Florida during the tall months. Bilious fevers and congestive chills are prevailing to an unusual extent, and at Gainesville, Alachua county, and at other points, many have been swept away by yellow fever. Even in Cedar Keys, the sickness continues and the mortality is fearful. This operated to retard the usual arrival of invalids, and very few have, as yet returned hither. As a consequence the hotels and multitudes of boarding houses are comparatively empty, and trade stagnant for lack of the usual influx of greenbacks from the distant North."

The Richmond Whig of Wednesday says: "Mr. Theophilus Bowers, who was employed at the Tredegar iron-works, and who lived with his family on Pine street, Oregon Hill, sat down in his usual health to his evening meal, Sunday night, but had hardly spoken a word before he stopped and fell from his chair. He was raised immediately but was found to be dead. Dr. Gibbes was sent for, summoned immediately, said his death was caused by heart disease. Deceased was about forty-five years of age. The gloom and anguish of the wife and bereaved little ones at the sudden visitation which deprived them at one stroke of husband and father can be imagined, but not described."

The Chattanooga Times of the 29th says: "Yesterday morning, as the passenger train from Jasper was coming to Chatsworth, and when near Whitesides station, on the N. and C. R. R., about fourteen miles from this city, a brakeman, named Thomas Minter, in attempting to climb from the platform of the coach to the top of the train, fell between them, and was instantly killed. One car passed over his body, the wheels running against across his left arm and the house, and crushing it and mangling the latter in a frightful manner. The body was discovered by the brakeman on the top of the train, after it had passed over. Deceased was about twenty years of age; has a brother in Jasper, and a mother living in Rome, Georgia."

We get the following from the Montgomery Advertiser of Tuesday: "In the United States District Court, Judge Busteed presiding, proceedings were had yesterday relative to the death of our late esteemed and distinguished townsman, General James H. Clanton. Soon after the opening of the court, Judge A. J. Walk er stated that he was deputized by the bar of Montgomery to present to the court the resolutions of that body upon the subject of General Clanton's decease, and read them to the court. These we have heretofore published. Judge Walker suggested that members of the bar or other parts of the district than Montgomery respond to the motion which he had submitted, and General John T. Morgan, of Selma, seconded Judge Walker's motion in a speech replete with the deepest feeling and most eloquent tribute to the memory of the deceased, said: 'Let the resolutions be entered at length upon the minutes, and as a further mark of respect for our deceased brother, this court will now adjourn until to-morrow morning.'"

Mr. H. V. Redfield writes to the Cincinnati Commercial that President Grant is not popular in East Tennessee. But Lee and Maynard have grown cold, and Brownlow no longer speaks of the President in tones of unqualified admiration. Though Brownlow "carried the State" for Grant in 1868, five years have elapsed since the President has spoken to the Senator from Tennessee. In the distorted imagination of the Senator, Grant's indifference is simply the offspring of a lack of presents. It is not the custom of the Senator to administer gifts in any form Nothing could be more melancholy than this coldness between the President and his friends in East Tennessee.

The American press has a good deal to say about the execution of Rossel and his companions, and Thiers and the French Government are severely handled in nearly all the prominent newspapers. There is no getting around the fact, however, that when Rossel was in power he was a pitiless executioner, and that by his authority many a good man was led out to die, a sacrifice to the thirst for blood which characterized the Commune. Ferre, who died with Rossel, looked on with grim satisfaction when Archbishop Darboy was shot down, and he took pains to be present at a number of executions during the Commune's supremacy. Thiers has perhaps made a great mistake, but, aside from its impolicy, the execution of Rossel and Ferre is hardly a subject to call for an extraordinary display of grief.

JEFFERSONVILLE.

The Criminal Court stands adjourned until next Monday.

The Hibernicon is announced to appear December 12 and 13.

The funeral of Mrs. Chris. Heins will take place to-morrow (Sunday) afternoon.

The Louisville and Mississippi railroad forwarded 200 bales of cotton eastward yesterday.

Dillard Ricketts, ex-president of the Jeffersonville railroad, was in the city yesterday.

There were two cases of disorderly conduct disposed of in the City Court yesterday. Usual fine and costs.

The commons near the intersection of Broadway and Sixth street are being rapidly filled up with private residences.

Thomas Adamson, superintendent of construction on the Ohio and Mississippi railroad, was in the city yesterday.

The case of J. M. Parker, charged with killing Capt. Sutton, has been continued until the next term of the Criminal Court.

The only special event of the season will be the grand party to be given at the residence of John Adams's Esq., Wednesday evening, December 6th.

D. B. Koons, County Treasurer, will be at the office of the City Treasurer, December 12th and 13th, to attend to State and county tax-payers.

The Park girls are improving. Helen is much better and was walking about yesterday. She completely astonishes and mystifies her physicians.

The revival meetings are still in progress at Maple-street M. E. Church South. There have been 41 accessions to the church since the meetings commenced. Preaching every night.

The case against the Friel boys, for shooting Henry Carr, has been continued until the February term of the Criminal Court. Carr, having taken a relapse, was unable to appear as a witness.

The funeral of Mrs. Emily C. Dixon was largely attended yesterday. Her remains were accompanied to the cemetery by the Daughters of Rebekah, I. O. O. F., of which order she was a worthy member.

Quite a large party of young ladies and gentlemen of this city visited the residence of John North, Esq., and a half miles from the city, on Thanksgiving day, and had a most delightful time, feasting and dancing.

At the Criminal Court, yesterday, Judge Dunham ordered that the several fines assessed against Joe Bower, amounting to $400, be remitted. The reason for this was because the suffering would fall on his family instead of himself.

The grand jury reconvened yesterday and commenced to investigate the matter of the negroes. They will continue in session six judicial days, and will subpœna every man in the county that knows anything about the lynching.

A very scurrilous and outrageous article appeared some days since in the Cincinnati Chronicle and Times, purporting to be from a resident of Clark county, stating that it was the general opinion throughout the county that Matthew Clegg, of Otisco, was the author of the Park tragedy, and the chief mover in the organization of the band by which the negroes Watson, Taylor and Davis. This article referred to the fact that Matthew Clegg, for several years past, had been engaged in a law-suit with Thos. Prall, the neighbor of Captain Cyrus M. Park; that the feud was so high that several personal rencounters between Clegg and Prall resulted; and that Park and Kirk took sides with Prall, and frequently threatened to mutual protection society. The article further stated that Clegg had written letters threatening the lives of Park and Kirk. This article was the informant of the Chronicle and Times draws the conclusion that Clegg is at the bottom of the whole matter, and the article is well on its course and blowing. Our reporter heard of these things the next day after the tragedy, and made diligent inquiry concerning the matter. The whole story is not a popular man; he has some bitter enemies in Clark county, and, notwithstanding that we have found but one man acquainted with Clegg who endorses this theory. The article in question is universally pronounced as an outrageous libel, and yesterday a paper was being circulated in Charlestown and throughout the county which, we learn, received the signature of every prominent and reliable citizen to whom it has been presented. This paper denounces the whole matter as a willful fabrication. The people say Mr. Clegg has always lived here, and never attempted such an awful crime to him nor deem him capable of it.

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RIVER NEWS.

BOATS LEAVING THIS DAY.

[For particulars see advertisements.]

Cincinnati	BEN FRANKLIN, 9 A. M.
Henderson	TARASCON, 5 P. M.
Evansville, Ohio river	ROBT. FULTON, 4 P. M.
Cincinnati	GEN. LYTLE, 4 P. M.
Madison	LOGAN, 5 P. M.
Red river	EDINBURGH, 4 P. M.
New Orleans	CITY KINNEY, 5 P. M.
Tennessee river	ARENA, 12 M.

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[Special dispatches to the Courier-Journal report the condition of the weather and rivers at various points.]

There has been but little change in the river since last report. The marks at 6 P. M. yesterday showed 5 feet in the canal and 3 feet in the pass down the Indiana chute, and cloudy. The weather yesterday was clear and cool. Business moderately active.

The Leonora goes to Madison at 1 P. M. today.

The Bermuda has gone into winter quarters at the mouth of Licking river.

Mike Myers, who piloted the City of Helena to St. Louis, returned yesterday.

The Edinburgh will be down this morning and leave for Shreveport and Jefferson at 4 P. M.

The LeClaire No. 2 has laid up at the foot of the towhead, awaiting for something to turn up.

Capt. W. F. Curtis, from Cincinnati, hound south with a circus company on board, will pass down to-day.

The propeller William Barnhart departed for Cincinnati yesterday evening with two empty barges in tow.

The propeller Two Brothers will be down from Pittsburgh this week to-day with two barges of bituminous for this city.

The Kate Hannon is due to-day from Kanawha river with a tow of tan-bark for James Belch's tannery of this city.

The Tom Reese and barges, with 1,000 tons of iron ore for Gaylord's foundry at Covington, is expected to pass up to-day.

The Dove No. 2, Capt. Saunders, will be found at the city wharf this morning, and will leave for Kentucky river at 3 P. M.

The Tarascon City's yawl, a small-line packet for Evansville and Henderson to-day, leaves at 5 P. M., sharp, from Portland wharf.

The Post Boy arrived at New Albany yesterday from Council from the Tennessee with tons of iron ore. She laid up to await coming events.

The towboat Valid, hence from this port to St. Louis and Memphis, has had the wood blockings, loaded with cement, is ice-bound at Cairo.

The Ben Franklin and Gen. Lytle are the regular mail-line boats for Cincinnati to-day, the former leaving at 9 A. M. and the latter at 4 P. M.

The Alaska, Cincinnati to New Orleans, Abeona, Cincinnati to Tennessee river, and Sam J. Hale, Cincinnati to Memphis, will pass down to-morrow morning.

The H. S. Turner, which was injured last week by striking a snag below Vicksburg, has arrived at Memphis, and will be placed on the docks for repairs.

The Shannon and Mary Miller, from New Orleans; Messenger, St. Louis; Camelia, Tennessee river; Ben Franklin, Pittsburgh, are among the first boats due at this port.

The price paid for the Point Pleasant Marine Railway property was $3,480. The purchaser, Capt. Mathew Clegg, for several years past, had been engaged in a law-suit with Thos. Prall, the neighbor of Captain Cyrus M. Park; that the feud was so high that several personal rencounters between Clegg and Prall resulted; and that Park and Kirk took sides with Prall, and frequently threatened to mutual protection society. The article further stated that Clegg had written letters threatening the lives of Park and Kirk. This article was the informant of the Chronicle and Times draws the conclusion that Clegg is at the bottom of the whole matter, and the article is well on its course and blowing. Our reporter heard of these things the next day after the tragedy, and made diligent inquiry concerning the matter. The whole story is not a popular man; he has some bitter enemies in Clark county, and, notwithstanding that we have found but one man acquainted with Clegg who endorses this theory. The article in question is universally pronounced as an outrageous libel, and yesterday a paper was being circulated in Charlestown and throughout the county which, we learn, received the signature of every prominent and reliable citizen to whom it has been presented. This paper denounces the whole matter as a willful fabrication. The people say Mr. Clegg has always lived here, and never attempted such an awful crime to him nor deem him capable of it.

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[Special dispatches to the Courier-Journal report the condition of the weather and rivers at various points.]

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NEW ALBANY.

Capt. J. C. Bentley will open the De Pauw House on Monday next.

E. Beckman & Co. have killed over 1,000 hogs the present season.

Wheat is coming in slowly; figures range from $1 10 to $1 40. Prime flour, $7 00.

Rev. T. P. Campbell has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Bank-street Baptist church.

John Morgan paid his fine in the City Court yesterday morning and was discharged from custody.

The Post Boy arrived from St. Louis, Thursday, with 60 tons of iron ore for the Ohio Falls Iron Works.

Centenary church was filled to overflowing at the mass-meeting feast meeting of the Methodists Thursday night.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Lloyd Locke and Clara Miller, David M. Bines and Mary Jane Hall.

Mr. Louis Brown realized in furniture, &c., $100 by the reunion and donation visit to his residence Tuesday night.

The collections of internal revenue for the month of November in the second collection district aggregated $7,300 20.

The tow-boats Alex. Dick Fulton No. 3, Lioness No. 2 and Capt. J. H. Bigler are lying at the lower levee, foot of Fourth street.

The city clerk paid the police force yesterday $609 30, the amount of their salary for November. The fire department was paid $500.

John McCarty, Prosecutor of Court of Common Pleas, passed through the city yesterday on his way to his home in Harrison county.

The New Albany rolling-mill has suspended operations in a portion of its works for a few days on account of the breaking of the large shears.

The United States Courts will convene in this city the first Monday in January. There are a large number of cases on the docket to be disposed of.

The young ladies of Mooresville and vicinity are making extensive preparations for a grand fair and exhibition, to be given in the new school in that place Christmas night.

Mr. Harrison M. Lemon, of this county, was married on Wednesday last to Miss Martha J. Farnsley, daughter of Hon. J. F. Farnsley, of Bridgeport, Harrison county.

There were three hundred and seventy-one scholars present at the Thanksgiving dinner given the children connected with the Mission Chapel on Lower Main street.

Rev. J. McKendree Reilly, of Louisville, preached a Thanksgiving sermon at Centenary church on Thursday morning. It is spoken of as a most eloquent and learned discourse.

Five individuals, who begged hard to have their names kept out of the papers, were before the Mayor for being drunk and disorderly, one day night. They paid $7 35 each, and went on their way rejoicing.

Quite a number of New Albanians visited Louisville last night to witness John Allen's personation of Schneider. If he should ever visit New Albany, we have no doubt he would be liberally patronized.

The tariff on freights has been advanced as follows between New York and this city: first class, per hundred, $1 13; second class, $1 02; third class, 81 cents; fourth class, 64 cents; special freight, 36 cents. This tariff took effect Nov. 27th.

The car-wheel works, which have been temporarily suspended for want of pig iron, have received a large supply and are now in full blast. They are making large shipments of car-wheels to the Evansville, Henderson and Nashville railroad.

Mr. Charles D. Matheny has returned from a visit to Shoals, Martin county, Indiana, to his bride. On the 23th of November, he was married to Miss Ella C. Montgomery, of that place. He left immediately for Marshall in a few days to permanently locate.

August Cuniot, who was accused of stealing an overcoat from the boarding-house of Sutton and Bridge, and held over by Justice Monroe yesterday morning and was honorably acquitted, the coat having been found in the house where it had been carelessly hung.

In Justice Monroe's court yesterday Wm. Hodge paid $10 40 for carrying concealed weapons. Frank Lewis was arrested and gave bond in the sum of $100 for his appearance next Monday morning to answer the charge of kidnapping the daughter of Wm. Hodge.

Mr. George Smith met with a severe accident at Greenville Thursday. While at work on a stage-coach he had both hands came in contact with the saw, which severed his thumb and forefinger and the second finger of the second finger of his left hand. Dr. Smith, who was summoned to attend him, while on his way to the house, was thrown from his horse and badly bruised, but fortunately no bones were broken. Both gentlemen were resting easy yesterday evening.

There are sixty-eight cases entered on the Criminal Court docket for the next term, as follows: Assault and battery with intent to kill, 7; abortion, 1; grand larceny, 11; assault and battery with intent to commit rape, 1; burglary, 1; rape, 1; bigamy, 1; petit larceny, 8; gaming, 2; retailing, 21; arson, 1; forgery, 2; assault and battery with intent to commit murder in the first degree, 1; carrying concealed weapons, 3; malicious trespass, 1; assault and battery, 3.

Dizzie L. Martin, Murfreesboro; Adam Zimmlein, Ohio; George A. Signor and lady, Jackson, Mich.; Wm. H. Agan, Washington, Ind.; Daniel B. Agan, Daviess county; J. H. Sullivan, L. N. A. and C. R. R.; E. M. Bingham, West Cornwall, Ct.; Evansville, Ind.; Peter Urbana, Ohio; W. A. Moriarty, Boston; M. A. Wolfe, Mauckport; J. T. Barrett, G. T. A., Louisville; R. E. Samuels and Samuel Johnson, Indiana, and R. Armstrong, Cincinnati, were registered at Mousch's Hotel yesterday.

There will be a meeting of the delegates of all the different temperance organizations of the city at Centenary church next Monday night. The lodges of Good Templars of Jeffersonville have been invited, and will send large delegations. J. J. Clement, Esq., of Louisville; Hon. John F. Wilson, and other distinguished speakers, will be present and address the meeting. Let all the friends of temperance attend and take part in the exercises and encourage the workers in the good cause by their presence.

A correspondent of the Ledger furnishes the following as court items of the Washington Circuit Court: "The much-talked-of case in the Washington county Circuit Court, of Voyles vs. Lukenbill, for slander, was submitted to a jury, whose verdict, returned this morning, is for the plaintiff, assessing damage in the sum of $1. The case of Clark vs. McGindley and Reisco, for false imprisonment, was disposed of this afternoon. Trial by jury; verdict for plaintiff as to McGindley, and for defendant as to Brisco. Damage $50."

Capt. Jas. F. Welker, county clerk, had application Thursday from three couple of runaway lovers for license to marry. They hailed from Kentucky. They begged hard for the necessary paper, but the Captain was inexorable and they were compelled to try their luck elsewhere. A short time after one couple had left, a fine-looking old Kentucky gentleman put in an appearance in search of the runaway daughter and the scapegrace who had stolen her away. The old gentleman was in a towering rage, swearing that he would kill the d——d scoundrel who dared to steal over the "infernal steamp's" head if he caught him. He left disappointed, as that evening he was Paradise for runaway lovers.

Professor Hilgard, who is in the employ of the United States Coast Survey, is now engaged in making observations for the purpose of determining the laws governing magnetism, especially as it relates to the declination of the needle. The intensity of magnetism at various points, having recently made observations on the knobs northwest of this city. The weather being very unfavorable, the observations were not so perfect as he could wish, and there were indications that the bad weather would continue, so he proceeded to Nashville to establish an observatory at that point, but will return to this city in the spring and continue his scientific observations probably into the summer.

The following transfers of real estate have been recorded since last report: Wm. Howerton to Martha J. Howerton, interest in s w ¼ of 50, r. 8, $100; James Livingston to John Eberle, s ½ of lot 28, Beeler street, plat 65, $187 50; Duncan Livingston to same, w ½ of lot 28, Poplar street, plat 65, $187 50; Mary Ann Lloyd to Lloyd Lewis, s ½ of lot 21, Wisconsin street, plat 39, $178 25; Mary H. Lloyd to James Lewis, s ½ of lot 21, Wisconsin street, Day's plat, $178 25; Peter Fox to Charles Fox et al, interest in lot 10 and s 20½ feet of lot 13, Bank street, plat 39, $900; Isaac Lodge, 20 feet front on E. B. Day, a 30 feet of 20 Lower Birch street, plat 9, $500; John A. J. Rollo to Daniel E. Stinson, lot 18, Beeler street, plat 65, $1,200.

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The New Orleans Republican of Wednesday says: "Business on the levees yesterday was of decided active nature, and all was one continued scene of constant life and animation, and, whatever may be said by others, we can not but congratulate our city on the general appearance of business life as now exhibited on our wharves. Those at one time may have been better or more active, but to our views yesterday must certainly be acknowledged to have been a very active and exciting day on the front; the Lee was at the upper landing discharging her immense cargo of cotton and seed, and the St. Louis boats discharging their cargoes of produce. At the lower landing the steamboats were having the cabin for the day in their line of business, but as far as the eye could reach cotton was visible at all points. The river marks last evening denoted 14 feet, and the weather was fine. Advices from the West are that snow has at some points fallen heavily, and prospects good for plenty of water very soon. Our river has spoken on the first page, will give the condition of the several rivers in full. The freight tariff in Red river yesterday was fixed at one new card rate. All other tariffs unchanged."

DANVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 30, 1871.

Manifest of steamer Camelia, from Eastport to Louisville:

McNeil, Wright & Sanders, 40,000 feet pine lumber, 91 bales cotton, 14 bags dried fruit, 62 bags peanuts, 3 bbls sorghum; D. W. Wicks & Co., 7 bales cotton; Gaylord Johnson & Co., 3 bales rags; Platt & Allen, 15 bales cotton; Hunter & Co., 5 bags peanuts; Geo. S. Hooper & Co., 20 bags pig iron; E. W. & L. P. Kennedy, 4 bales cotton; J. D. Sinclair & Bro., 50 bags peanuts; R. D. Lawl, 45 bags peanuts; Forster, Ahls & Co., 4 bales cotton; Terry, Wheat & Cheeney, 3 bales cotton, 61 bags dried fruit, 28 bags rags, 16 bags feathers. For Cincinnati: 1,000 bags peanuts, 80 bales cotton, 43 bags dried fruit. Passed Danville Wednesday, Nov. 29, at 5 P. M. Weather yesterday was clear and cool. Business moderately active.

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MARRIED.

ALLNUTT—GARDNER—On the 29th ult, at Oakland, in Weakly county, the residence of Mayor Gardner, the father of the bride, Mr. J. J. Allnutt, Esq., of Louisville, Ky., to Miss Mary B. Gardner.

The above announcement, which we flip from one of our Tennessee exchanges, heralds the arrival in our midst of Mr. Allnutt, the daughter of our sister State, whose purity of heart and loveliness of disposition are only equaled by the nobility of her mind. Our fellow townsman has our sincere congratulations upon his own happiness, and thanks for having secured for the social circle of our city so charming an addition. May their future in life be as prosperous as their present is happy.

DIED.

STALLMAN—On Wednesday evening, Nov. 29th, John, infant son of Louis A. and Annie E. Stallman.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

On Marriage.

Happy Relief for Young Men from the effects of Errors and Abuses in early life. Manhood restored. Nervous debility cured. Impediments to Marriage removed. New method of treatment. New and remarkable remedies. Books and Circulars sent free in a sealed letter. Address HOWARD ASSOCIATION, No. 2 South Ninth street, Philadelphia, Pa. no6 We&SaSm

RELIGIOUS.

Christ Church.

ADVENT SUNDAY, Dec. 3, 1871.—The Right Rev. H. B. Whipple, D. D., Bishop of Minnesota, will preach at 11 o'clock A. M.

SERMON TO CHILDREN.—The regular monthly sermon to children will be preached by Rev. Doctor Norton at 7½ P. M.

Strangers and the public cordially invited to all services in Christ Church. de3 dit*

St. Andrew's Protestant Episcopal Church.

Corner Second and Kentucky streets.

SERVICE every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7½ P. M. Rev. D. Charles H. Shield, D. D., rector. Seats free. de3 fasd*

MEETINGS.

Daughters of Rebekah—I. O. O. F.

THE Members of Fraternity Rebekah Degree Lodge, No. 1, I. O. O. F., will please take notice that an important meeting will be held at their hall this (Saturday) evening, Dec. 2d, at 7 o'clock. A full attendance is earnestly requested. By order

CHAS. WOLFORD, N. G.

A. M. Buter, Sec.

Kentucky Horticultural Society.

BY request, the members of the Kentucky Horticultural Society are hereby notified that there will be a meeting of the Society on Saturday, the 2d day of December, at 11 o'clock A. M., at their rooms in Mozart Hall. Punctual attendance is solicited.

L. YOUNG, President.

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CORPORATION NOTICES.

Notice.

AT a meeting of the Directors of the Louisville Steam Lithographing Co., held this day, a call of 25 per cent. upon subscription is made, payable on or before December 4, 1871, at J. S. Lithgow & Co.'s office, to J. L. Smyser, Treasurer. We expect to be in full operation in 15 days. Prompt payment is requested. Very respectfully, J. S. McFERRAN, Pres't.

Louisville, Nov. 27, 1871. de2 d5

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CONDITION OF THESE IMPORTANT ORGANS THE HEALTHY AND HARMONIOUS ACTION OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM AND LIVER AND CONSEQUENTLY THE HAPPINESS OF THE ENTIRE HUMAN FAMILY, DEPEND. THAT BUCHU SHOULD ACT UPON BOTH LIVER AND KIDNEYS, TO PREPARE IT SO THAT IT WOULD RETAIN ITS STRENGTH AND ACTIVE PRINCIPLE, WAS HIS AIM. IT MUST NOT BE MADE, AS HOUSEKEEPERS MAKE TEA, BY BOILING. IT IS A DELICATE LEAF, AND ITS ACTIVE PRINCIPLE WOULD BE DESTROYED BY SUCH A PROCESS. IT MUST BE PREPARED IN VACUO, AND FROM THE LONG LEAF, FRESH AND CAREFULLY SELECTED.

THE SUPERIORITY OF MY MODE OF PREPARATION BEING ACKNOWLEDGED, I now ship even to the point where the leaves are gathered (CAPE OF GOOD HOPE) Thousands of Dollars of

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TESTIMONY.

Permanent Cure of Gravel of Twelve Years' Standing---Stone Passed, and to be Seen.

BURNSIDE, CONN., Dec. 15, 1869.

DR. HELMBOLD:

DEAR SIR—It is with much pleasure that I write you upon facts respecting myself. I do not know hardly how to express myself. I have been, for the last ten or twelve years, the greatest sufferer man could be and live, but more sometimes than others. The complaint was the "Kidneys" and "Bladder." I have been sometimes from twelve to fourteen hours and wanted to make water every minute, but could not. Have consulted doctors both in Massachusetts and this State, and taken pills, I may say, by the quart, also liquored medicines; but found no relief from any, and got worse the last six months. I was so that I could scarcely get about. I could not rest night or day. It would soon have been "all up" with me if I had not seen your advertisement in the Berkshire Courier, headed "Kidneys." I read it through, and thought I would try it. I purchased a bottle; but, mind you, I had not much faith in it. Why should I, when I had been trying so many things and cost me so much? Well, before I had taken the first bottle I felt bad; but I finished it and got another. By the time I took half of the second I still got worse (apparently). When I walked it seemed as if my right kidney was falling from its place, and I made up my mind it was of no use trying any more. And all this time the "BUCHU" was doing its work, but I did not know it; so I gave it up, and went to Hartford, on Saturday, to one of the best doctors in the city. He said it was the neck of the bladder, and I should have to undergo an operation. He gave me medicine, and I went home quite down-hearted. On Sunday I was unable to go to church. I had not taken of his medicine, but, on my return, continued using the "BUCHU," and, in the afternoon, I had a desire to make water, but could not. About one hour after this I tried again, with the same result; but the next time I took the vessel it was the same as turning a faucet and stopping it off again. It was so for three times, and the third time there was something came through the passage and struck against the side of the vessel. I examined it, and it is the ugliest stone or gravel you ever saw, covered over with little pieces, which collected together. It looks the color of a mud-turtle, and is as hard as flint. So, you see, the "BUCHU" was doing its work, although I was feeling so badly. I procured another bottle, thinking there might be some more behind; but since that has passed, which is eight weeks ago last Sunday, I have been as well as ever I was in my life. I have the stone securely wrapped, and those who have seen it in this place are surprised. I can not tell you all; but this is a true story of my case, and you are welcome to make such use of my name as you think proper. I am pretty well known in Berkshire; also in Connecticut. The advertisement saved me. Why not publish more? The Springfield Republican is a wide-spread paper. If any one wishes to see this wonder, they can do so. I could write all day, but I think I have said enough this time; so, I remain your ever well-wisher,

EDWARD L. HOWARD,
Paper-maker, Burnside, Hartford Co., Conn.

REFERS TO

DR. MACK, Burnside, Conn.
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ALL OF WHOM TREATED ME FOR THE DISEASE.

A Case of Twenty Years' Standing.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., June 25th, 1867.

H. T. HELMBOLD, Druggist:

DEAR SIR—I have been a sufferer for upward of twenty years with gravel, bladder, and kidney affections, during which time I have used various medical preparations, and been under the treatment of the most eminent physicians, experiencing but little relief.

Having seen your preparation extensively advertised, I consulted my family physician in regard to using your Extract Buchu.

I did this because I had used all kinds of advertised remedies, and had found them worthless, and some quite injurious; in fact, I despaired of ever getting well, and determined to use no remedies hereafter unless I knew of the ingredients. It was this that prompted me to use your remedy. As you advertised that it was composed of buchu, cubebs, and juniperberries, it occurred to me and my physician as an excellent combination, and, with his advice, after an examination of the matter, and consulting again with the druggist, I concluded to try it. I commenced to use it about eight months ago, at which time I was confined to my room.

From the first bottle I was astonished and gratified at the beneficial effect, and, after using it three weeks, was able to walk out. I felt much like writing to you a full statement of my case at the time; but thought my improvement might be only temporary, and, therefore, concluded to defer, and see if it would effect a perfect cure, knowing that it would be of greater value to you and more satisfactory to me.

I AM NOW ABLE TO REPORT THAT A CURE IS EFFECTED, AFTER USING THE REMEDY FOR FIVE MONTHS.

I HAVE NOT USED ANY NOW FOR THREE MONTHS, AND FEEL AS WELL IN ALL RESPECTS AS I EVER DID.

Your Buchu being devoid of any unpleasant taste and odor, a nice tonic and invigorator of the system, I do not mean to be without it whenever occasion may require its use on such occasions.

M. McCORMICK.

Should any doubt Mr. McCormick's statement, he refers to the following gentlemen:

HON. WM. BIGLER, Ex-Governor of Pennsylvania.
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AND MANY OTHERS, IF NECESSARY.

From the Principal Physician of the Sanitary Infirmary of the State of Louisiana.

PARISH LA FOURCHE, LA., April 29, 1870.

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DEAR SIR—I have in my practice used (in a majority of cases where disease of the urinary organs existed) HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU, and confidently say that I have never known it to be used without the greatest beneficial results. I have consulted patients after partaking of it, and they invariably confirm my statement. I am satisfied that the preparation is an established fact, convincingly proved by the practical test of long experience.

Yours, respectfully,

JOHN B. C. GAZZO, M. D.

Permanent Cure of Diabetes with Four Bottles.

HACKENSACK, BERGEN CO., N. J., April 20th, 1870.

DR. H. T. HELMBOLD:

DEAR SIR—I have been suffering for a long time from Diabetes, and had been under treatment for the same by three of the most eminent physicians of this place, viz: Drs. Hasbrook, Hall and Smith, without any apparent beneficial result. Having heard of your "FLUID EXTRACT BUCHU," I concluded to try it, although I had but little faith in its curative properties. I am happy to state that, after having taken four bottles of your "BUCHU," I am entirely cured, and deem it but my duty to you and the community at large to inform you of the fact that I have been perfectly cured by your medicine having been informed by the three physicians above-stated that my disease was incurable.

Truly yours,

JOHN H. WYGANT.

I respectfully refer to any citizen of Hackensack.

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, ss.—John H. Wygant, being of the village of Hackensack, County of Burgen, State of New Jersey, being duly sworn, deposes and says that the foregoing is true to his knowledge.

(Signed) JOHN H WYGANT.

Sworn to before me this 27th day of April, 1870. [Signed] JOHN G. KEARNEY, Commissioner of Deeds, New York City and county, 25 Chambers st., New York.

Cure for Bladder and Kidney Affection of Long Standing---Stone Passed and to be Seen.

WESTPORT, CONN., Sept. 8, 1869.

H. T. HELMBOLD, Esq.:

DEAR SIR—I commenced taking your "Extract of Buchu" about two weeks since for an affection of the bladder and kidneys. I have suffered by spells very much for a few days past. But yesterday relief came through the effect of your "Buchu." A stone passed from my bladder about the size of a large pea, and now I feel perfectly well and entirely free from the pain that I have suffered with "so hard." I attribute my cure to your medicine entirely, and would recommend all persons similarly affected to try it. I have great faith in its curative powers.

Yours, truly, THOMAS J. BENNETT.

REFERS TO

REV. WM. COGSWELL, Westport, Conn.
J. L. G. CANNON, Druggist, Westport, Conn.
H. L. WHEELER, Esq., Westport, Conn.
BRADLEY HULL, Esq., Westport, Conn.
DR. WAKEMAN, Reading, Conn
R. W. ROBINSON, Wholesale Druggist, New York City.

And many others, if necessary.

Cure of Kidney and Bladder Affection of a Patient Seventy-eight Years of Age.

Thanks to Mr. Helmbold.

GIRARD, PA., March 31, 1869.

EDITOR COSMOPOLITE—I desire as an unsolicited tribute to the merits of HELMBOLD'S BUCHU, and for the benefit of those similarly afflicted as myself, to say that, after consulting many eminent physicians, and trying nearly all the best advertised remedies, in the vain hope of finding relief from aggravated kidney and bladder diseases from which I have suffered excessively for many years, good fortune finally suggested to me HELMBOLD'S BUCHU, which I commenced using with little faith and no apparent beneficial result for about a month. At the expiration of that time, however, I thought I commenced to experience slight relief, which encouraged me to persevere in its use. Now, at the expiration of four months, although I am an infirm old man, nearly 78 years of age, and, consequently, medicines can not be expected to favorably affect me as they otherwise would, I have found such unspeakable relief and permanent benefit from Mr. Helmbold's valuable discovery, and I feel I ought to publicly record the fact as an acknowledgement to him and a valuable suggestion to the public.

Yours, respectfully.

D. M. LAREN.

Mr. Laren refers to the following gentlemen:

COL. DAN RICE, Girard, Pa.
CHARLES STOWE, Esq., Girard, Pa., Editor Cosmopolite.
GEO. H. CUTLER, Girard, Pa., Attorney.
C. L. HINDS, Girard, Pa., Attorney.
CAPT. D. W. HUTCHINSON, Girard, Pa., Attorney.
DAVID OLIN, Girard, Pa., Merchant.
DAVID E. DAY, Girard, Pa., Merchant.
C. F. ROCKWELL, Girard, Pa., Merchant.
B. C. ELY, Girard, Pa., Druggist.

Bed-wetting in Children---New York State Volunteer Institute,

CORNER OF FIFTH AVE. AND SEVENTY-SIXTH ST., CENTRAL PARK.

(A Home and School for the Sons of Deceased Soldiers.)

DR. H. T. HELMBOLD:

Two bottles only of the package of your valuable BUCHU presented to the Institute have been used by the children, and with perfect success. Thanking you, on behalf of the children, and hoping others may be alike benefitted,

I am respectfully yours,

COL. YOUNG,
General Superintendent and Director.

June 16, 1868.

Great Suffering---One Hundred Dollars Would be Given for a Bottle, if Necessary.

RAHWAY, N. J., Dec. 2, 1869.

H. T. HELMBOLD, Esq.:

DEAR SIR—I take great pleasure in sending you a certificate, in addition to the many you have received from suffering humanity. I can scarcely find language sufficiently strong to express my heartfelt gratification at the wonderful cure your Buchu has effected. For four years I have suffered beyond description. All my friends (with myself) came to the conclusion that my case was incurable. Accident placed your advertisement in my hands. I commenced taking your Buchu.

I followed the directions, and to my utter astonishment, before I had taken seven bottles of your valuable medicine—(I would give ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS A BOTTLE, if I could not get it at any other price)—am entirely cured. I most earnestly recommend it to all those suffering from disease. I told many persons to take your valuable medicine, and they are doing so with great success. Any information my fellow-citizens may require will be freely given by the subscriber, at his residence, 73 Milton avenue, Rahway, New Jersey. H. M. FREEMAN,
Councilman Third ward, city of Rahway.

RAHWAY, N. J., Dec. 2, 1869.

We, the undersigned, are well acquainted with H. M. Freeman, of Rahway, and know that he has been a long time suffering in the worst possible form, for the past four years, and he has been entirely cured by the use of Helmbold's Buchu.

J. W. SAVAGE, Ex-Mayor.
FRANK LABAU, President of Council
WM. RICHARDS, Clerk of Council.
PETER A. BANTA, Councilman.
W. J. BROWN, Councilman.
J. S. S. MELLICK, Councilman.
LEWIS HOFF, Councilman.
J. B. STRIKER, Merchant.

CITY HALL, MAYOR'S OFFICE, RAHWAY, N. J., December 3, 1869.

This will certify that I am personally acquainted with H. M. Freeman, and I am cognizant of the facts set forth in the above statement, and the several persons whose signatures are thereunto attached are all known to me.

JOHN F. WHITNEY,
Mayor of Rahway, N. J.

United States Hospital.

SALISBURY, N. C., March 19, 1869.

H. T. HELMBOLD, Esq., Philadelphia, Pa.:

DEAR SIR: I wish you to send me one dozen of your Sarsaparilla Extract and a half a dozen of your Rose Wash.

Allow me to say that your preparations are very satisfactory, not only to the practitioner, but also to the patient; and I shall endeavor to bring them into universal use in this part of the country.

Please forward these medicines again, as before, C. O. D., per express.

I am, sir, very respectfully yours, etc.,

M. F. A. HOFFMAN,
Surgeon in Charge Hospital,

Certificate of a Distinguished Midwife.

PHILADELPHIA, August 13, 1869.

Mr. HELMBOLD:

SIR—I have used your EXTRACT BUCHU with many of my patients, and can speak of it in the highest terms in every case, and consider it a valuable remedy, and one that should be in the hands of every midwife.

Very truly yours,

REBECCA STANTON, M. D.

Cure of Nervous Prostration and Decline of a Young Lady.

H. T. HELMBOLD:

I have given your EXTRACT BUCHU to my daughter, who has been unable to sleep, very nervous, loss of appetite, general debility, and rapidly falling into a decline—in fact, consumption was talked of. I was recommended to try your BUCHU by a highly respectable lady of this place, who had given it to her son with complete success. My daughter had been troubled for a long time. I purchased one bottle some eight weeks since, which lasted one week, and from which she received great benefit, and induced me to purchase one-half dozen bottles, as I tried many other remedies and my family physician to no avail. It is now more than two weeks since she has taken the last bottle, and I am happy to inform you of its complete success.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE M. MARSHALL.

Germantown, Penn., Feb. 12, 1869.

Speedy Relief from Kidney Affection Occasioned by Accident.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1, 1870.

Dr. HELMBOLD:

DEAR SIR—On the 23d of August I received severe internal and external injuries, occasioned by an accident on a Philadelphia railroad car. On my arrival in New York I was attended by Dr. Wilson, of East Fifty-fifth street, and another physician, whose name I do not remember. After my wounds were dressed I suffered for three days intense agony from internal injuries, which affected my kidneys. I can say that after taking but three doses of your EXTRACT BUCHU I felt greatly relieved. I used the balance of the bottle, and am happy to state that since that time I have experienced no further difficulty.

Very truly yours,

P. H. KEARNEY,
No. 343 Third avenue.

Mr. Kearney respectfully refers to either of the following gentlemen:

HON. ROB'T B. ROOSEVELT, Esq., Editor of Citizen and Round Table.
B. F. CURTIS, Esq., No. 102 Greenwich street.
MORRIS PHILLIPS, Esq., Editor of Home Journal.
HON. M. CONNOLLY, Register of City.
MESSRS. PETTENGILL & BATES, No. 37 Park Row.
HON. NELSON J. WATERBURY, New York.
HON. JAMES E. COULTER, New York.

AND MANY OTHERS, IF NECESSARY.

Great Cure of Diabetes of a Lady--Fifty Dollars a Bottle.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6, 1869.

DEAR DR. HELMBOLD:

DEAR SIR—For the past eight months I have been suffering from diabetes. I have consulted several of our leading physicians; but have failed to receive the slightest benefit from their costly medicines.

Four months ago I saw your advertisement in the Herald. I was persuaded by a friend who had been benefitted by your world-renowned Buchu. I purchased a bottle, took the contents, and was so relieved that I continued the use of it. The diabetes has entirely disappeared, after using it for three months. I would give $50 a bottle if I could not get it at any other price.

I most earnestly recommend it to all those suffering from this disease.

Sincerely yours,

ANNA E. STOUGHTON,
133 West Twenty-seventh street.

From a Practitioner of Twenty Years' Experience.

MR. HELMBOLD:

SIR—I have prescribed your Buchu in affections of the Bladder and Kidneys with a gratifying result.

Yours truly, EDWARD L. SHAW, M. D.

New York, April 13, 1868.

Disease of the Bladder and Gout of the Kidney Cured.

H. T. HELMBOLD:

I consider the Compound Fluid Extract Buchu one of the best medicines for Diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder. One bottle relieved me of severe Gout of the Kidneys, and I was entirely cured by the use of six.

Respectfully, thy friend, S. M. JOHNSON.

Burlington, N. J., May, 1855.

Cure of a Case of Gravel of Nine Years' Standing.

PHILADELPHIA, GIRARD HOUSE, April 19, 1865.

DR. HELMBOLD:

DEAR SIR—Having suffered with gravel for upward of nine years, and not obtaining any relief from the various physicians in my section, I visited Philadelphia for the purpose of having an operation performed some ten or twelve weeks since; but, on my arrival, I saw your advertisement in the *Ledger*, and I determined to try it first, having a great aversion to the operation. I purchased three bottles, although at the time I had little faith in medicine in my case, but hoping it might relieve my suffering. I soon found my pain decrease, and felt much more comfortable. I then purchased one dozen bottles. I continued to use it, and at the expiration of four weeks I noticed a deposit in my chamber, and, upon inspection, I found this to be gritty, and then determined to examine more closely; and, to my surprise, I found this to be small particles larger than a pin's head. I continued to use the medicine, and have collected a few of the same, which I inclose. I continued to pass them until within three weeks. My water, previous to using it, was feverish, and a sediment would form from it. Since that period it is much lighter, the pain has ceased, and I am able to inform you that it is now of a natural color, and I have no pain or inflammation in any part of my body, and can walk, ride, or rest without any inconvenience.

I shall leave for home to-morrow, and shall take a supply with me, as I intend using it for some time, although I feel well now, and can candidly say that it has effected a cure when all other remedies and medical skill had failed.

Feeling grateful that I was so fortunate to find and you to prepare such an excellent medicine, believe me, in the comprehensive sense of the word, your friend, J. S. SANDERSON.

(Dr. Keyser is a Physician of over thirty years' experience, and Graduate of the Jefferson Medical College, and of the University of Medicine and Surgery of Philadelphia.)

MR. H. T. HELMBOLD:

DEAR SIR: In regard to the question asked me as to my opinion about Buchu, I would say I have seen and used every form of Buchu—the powdered leaves, the simple decoction, tincture, fluid extracts—and I am not cognizant of any preparation of that plant at all equal to yours. Thirty years' experience ought, I think, to give me the right to judge of its merits, and, without prejudice or partiality, I give yours precedence over all others.

I have cured with it, and seen cured with it, more diseases of the bladder and kidneys than I have ever seen cured with any other Buchu, or any other proprietary compound, of whatever name.

Respectfully yours, etc.,

GEO. B. KEYSER, M. D.,
140 Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

August 11, 1865.

From a Professor of Surgery, Surgeon and Clinical Lecturer to the Alms-house Infirmary, Etc.

I have employed the medicine of Dr. Helmbol in numerous instances within the last three years, and have always found them extremely efficacious, especially in diseases of the Urinary Organs. I have no hesitation in pronouncing them of inestimable value, and worthy the confidence of the Faculty.

WM. A. COLEMAN M. D.

June 26, 1867.

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ESTABLISHED

UPWARD OF

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Price $1 25 per Bottle, or Six Bottles for $6 50, Delivered to Any Address.

Describe Symptoms in all Communications.

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CRYSTAL PALACE DRUG STORE.

594 Broadway, New York, and 104 South Tenth Street,

PHILADELPHIA, PENN

Sold by Druggists Everywhere.

Beware of counterfeits and those cheap decoctions called Buchu. None are genuine unless done up in steel engraved wrapper, with fac simile of my Chemical Warehouse and signed

H. T. HELMBOLD.

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COURIER-JOURNAL

SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 2, 1871.

To Advertisers.

Advertisers who wish to avail themselves of the advantages of our extraordinarily large edition on Sunday morning will hand in their favors not later than 8 o'clock this evening.

The Courier-Journal on the Jeffersonville Railroad.

Mesh. Ely & Farrell will hereafter have charge of the Courier-Journal on the line of the road, and will deliver the Courier-Journal promptly and regularly to all persons on the line of the road wishing it, and will sell it to passengers on the trains at five cents per copy.

The Sunday Courier-Journal.

The Sunday Courier-Journal is intended to be entirely separate and distinct from our regular daily edition. No advertisements are inserted in it unless specially ordered, and subscribers in Louisville, New Albany and Jeffersonville who take but six papers a week will not be entitled to the Sunday paper as one of them. For the six papers they will be charged by the carriers 25c per week, and when they also take the Sunday paper the price is 30c per week.

Our Sunday paper is sent to subscribers by mail only when specially ordered.

— LOCAL BREVITIES. —

Charley Hamilton, for assault and battery on Bettie Error, and James Falon, for being drunk and disorderly, were registered at First-third station last night.

The house of Thos. Landram, a dreman in the Atwood company, living on Market street, between Clay and Shelby, caught fire yesterday, but was extinguished by the family without giving any alarm.

Kanawha coal is arriving freely. The whole supply from that river for the Cincinnati and Louisville markets, arrived and coming, to-day, will realize five hundred thousand bushels, or about one hundred thousand tons.

A young man named Longest, whose parents live a mile from Louisville on the Bardstown road, was killed day before yesterday by a railroad accident in Minnesota. He was traveling in the Northwest for his health.

PERSONAL.

John Martin, Esq., the popular and accomplished proprietor of the Paducah Kentuckian, is in the city, a guest of the Galt House.

Mrs. Laura Cuppy Smith, a distinguished spiritualist lecturer, has arrived and will speak at Weisiger Hall to-morrow morning and evening.

Judge Bechel Jones, of Barren, Dr. D. W. Strader, of Barren, and Mr. Lorning Strader, of Green county, were among the visitors to our city yesterday.

Hon. S. C. Bell, Metcalfe county; Judge Jas. Garnett, Columbia; Byrn S. McCan, Russell county; and Thos. Johnson, Taylor county, are at the National Hotel.

Col. E. J. Bullock, of Columbus; Col. D. R. Haggard, of Burkesville, and a number of other prominent Kentuckians are at the U. S. Hotel, on their way to Frankfort.

J. J. Allbutt, Esq., one of Louisville's most promising young lawyers, brought home with him yesterday, from Nashville, one of Tennessee's fairest and most accomplished daughters as his bride.

A telegraphic dispatch from Thos. A. Scott announces the conclusion of an agreement by which the Ohio and Mississippi railroad is allowed to cross the bridge at this point. The agreement will go into effect at once.

Major W. M. Cargill, of Graves county, was in the city yesterday, on his way to Frankfort, where he will be a candidate for clerk of the Senate. Major C. is an excellent and popular gentleman, and is most highly esteemed where he is best known.

A. S. Arnett, Clinton; T. J. Jones, Graves county; H. S. Hall, Mayfield; G. W. Silvertooth, Clinton, Ky.; W. M. Cargill, Mayfield; Clinton Griffiths and T. Jones, Owensboro; S. H. Woolfolk, Madisonville, and Col. J. W. South, Frankfort, are registered at the Willard.

Gen. J. H. Lewis, M. C., Glasgow; Col. McKee Fox, Somerset; Major J. S. Barlow, Barren county; J. P. Rowlett, Hart county; Jo. C. S. Blackburn, Woodford county; Jno. Martin, Jr., Paducah, and Gen. Jno. Echols, Va., are among the arrivals at the Galt House last night.

T. J. Pottinger and wife, Owensboro, and Mr. Bowman and Miss Augustus, Bardstown Junction, form a bridal party now stopping at the Louisville Hotel. T. J. Allnutt and wife, *nee* Miss Gardner of Tennessee, another newly-wedded pair, are also stopping at the Louisville Hotel. Mr. Allnutt is a lawyer of this city.

A party consisting of Mrs. Charles Moulton, Mr. Bernard Rowley, Sig. Ferranti, Mr. and Mr. Wehli and Mr. Geo. W. Colby—forming the Moulton Concert Company—were at the Galt House yesterday, on their way to Memphis and the South. Of this party the name of Mr. Wehli is the most familiar as the best pianist in this country to-day, and one of the most accomplished alive. He was here with Miss Kellogg last year. This is Mrs. Moulton's first season on the stage, but she has already won a reputation for a most excellent, cultivated and attractive voice. The whole company return here in February, when concerts will be given by them in this city.

Bogus Traveling Agents Arrested.

On Wednesday, three young men, who gave the names of W. G. Garrard, Wm. Livingston and Charles H. Horn, and who hailed from Pittsburgh, were arrested by Detectives Bligh and Gallagher, on suspicion of getting money under false pretenses. All the three men carried with them unspun copies of "The Southern and Western States Directory," a commercial publication issued by Kane & Co., of New York, being a trade directory of a very useful character. They had each blank order-books of the firm in their possession, and had canvassed a large number of houses in this city, representing themselves as agents of Kane & Co. They succeeded in over a score of instances in getting orders for the insertion of cards in the directory, receiving pay in advance for each card in sums varying from $3 to 30 cents. Among other persons and firms victimized were the German Bank, Isaac Stevens & Son, Mr. C. Block, and Mr. Riebow. It was discovered, on sending a telegram to the publishers, that these young men were not authorized to get orders for the directory. Their case will be tried to-day.

Strange Robbery on the Street.

About half past 9 o'clock on Thursday evening, the neighborhood of Market and Seventh streets, was in an uproar on account of the screaming and outcries of a white woman. It was discovered that she had been robbed of her pocket-book, containing a small amount of money. The affair took place in front of Mr. B. F. Alford's drug-store, corner of Market and Seventh streets. Previous to the woman raising the outcry she had been seen standing at this corner in conversation with a man. Suddenly the fellow dealt her a blow in the mouth and snatched the pocket-book out of her hand, upon which she shouted out a foul name, and he made tracks down Congress street at what a spectator called 40-mile speed. Several raised a cry for the police, but the man was not stopped, no one present seeming to know either him or the woman. It is probable had the cowardly thief been caught he would have been roughly handled by the crowd of persons who quickly collected at the spot.

Burglaries.

Mrs. H. E. Miller arrived in the city night before last, and stopped at a boarding-house on the corner of Ninth and Jefferson streets. Some time during the night a burglar entered her room and stole $25 in money, two notes for larger sums on men in Indiana, and a good deal of her clothing.

Some time during Wednesday night or Thursday morning a burglar entered the residence of Mr. Ricketts, who lives on Market street below Thirtieth, and carried off that gentleman's overcoat, pants and vest. He afterwards returned and attempted to obtain something more valuable, but was seen by Mr. Ricketts's daughter, when the alarm was given and he escaped. He poisoned the watch-dog before entering.

CITY BUSINESS.

Members of the Legislature

should not leave the city before purchasing a ticket in the Grand Gift Concert. They may draw a prize worth more than their two years' salary.

Chance.

The Gift Concert to come off on the 16th of December is to some extent a game of chance, but not more so than the raffles, postoffices, grab-bags, &c., which we are accustomed to see at our night-fairs. That the tickets obtain in this world are matters of chance and accident. Business, reputation, wife, children and friends frequently are matters of mere chance. Try your chance for $100,000. Missing that, you may get $50,000, or $5,000, or $10,000.

As Flashy as the Rainbow.

To those passing along Main street, below Third, the most attractive feature by all odds is the large show-window of Messrs. J. B. Wood & Son, hat and fur dealers. The show of furs is the prettiest, most complete and prettiest in the city, comprising all qualities, styles, shapes, colors and conceits. It is brilliant display, and its selection and arrangement do credit to the good taste and ingenuity of the gentlemen composing the firm—the senior member of which is one of the most thoroughly versed and thoroughly practical furriers west of the Alleghanies. They have on hand now one of the fullest stocks of hats and caps ever in Louisville.

POSTOFFICE ROBBERY.

A Clerk in the Louisville Postoffice Robs the Mails.

He is Caught in the Act and Arrested.

SAD SEQUEL OF A PAST LIFE.

For some time past valuable letters have been missed from the mails leaving this city, and from mails passing through but distributed at the postoffice here. The complaints have been numerous, and the attention of the Department being called to the matter, an investigation was instituted which seemed to point to the Louisville office as the point at which the robberies were being committed. These robberies had extended over about a year, but had been most frequent during the past two or three months. The authorities here promptly set to work to discover the guilty party, if in their employ, which they could hardly believe, having confidence in all their assistants.

THE PAST CLERK.

It was observed, however, that a young man named T. W. Lendrum, a night clerk, whose duty it was to receive and dispatch the mails, was leading a pretty fast life, sporting splendid diamonds, and keeping a fine horse and mistress, and loaning money with a freedom that his salary of about a thousand dollars per annum did not seem to warrant. At first his ability to live in this style was naturally attributed to his having saved his money and employed it to advantage, and it was thought that his dissipation, among which drinking to excess is not charged, probably did not cost as much as might have been supposed from the fast life he lived. But several circumstances sufficed to rouse suspicion against him. He was seen to enter the distributing department of the postoffice, where he had nothing to do, and examine the letters. He was also seen to enter the delivery department, in which also he had no business. It was remembered, too, that he went on duty about dark in the evening and remained until 6 o'clock in the morning; that though a number of other clerks are engaged in the building during the night, they leave about 3 o'clock A. M., and Lendrum was thus usually alone for an hour, when the day force came on. Here was an opportunity, for in that hour he could appropriate whatever he chose in the distributing department, there being no one there to hinder or even to observe him. His duty was confined to that part of the building fronting on Green street and entered by the door at which the mails are carried in, and he had no business in any other department and no right to intrude in them nor to handle any mail therein. So that his going into other departments after the departure of the other clerks, his fast life, in connection with the other circumstances of the case, made up sufficient grounds for suspicion against him, and it was determined to set a watch upon his movements. A trap was accordingly laid for his detection.

A TRAP LAID.

The Chief of Police was informed of the facts, and, consenting to aid in ferreting out the guilty party, Officers Brennan and Adams were detailed on the case. The former was added to the residential clerk of the postoffice, and simple but effective arrangements were made to watch the premises closely, especially the money department, during the hours in which Lendrum was alone in the building.

There is a small out-house near the alley in the rear, or on the south side of the Custom-house, and facing a window through which a good view of the interior can be obtained. This window opens into the distributing-room in which Lendrum had been seen to go. In the door of the out-house were two holes, about four or five inches square, and in this house the watchers ensconced themselves, the clerk taking up his stand there every morning and the policemen watching on alternate days. Looking from the holes in the doors they could see through the window into the distributing room, and it would be impossible for any one to abstract any letters therefrom without coming under their observation. The watchers were further favored by the fact that the room was lighted up while they stood in the darkness. The arrangements, therefore, constituted a most ingenious ambush for detection.

ON GUARD.

The watch was kept up for a week without success, though enough was seen to induce the authorities to persevere. Lendrum was several times seen to enter the room and handle letters, but always put them there or took them away. Else he did, however, with the air of one not satisfied that they contained valuable inclosures; and, besides, the act alone was enough to confirm suspicion, even if it had not been done with an appearance of evil intention. At last the patience and keen perseverance of the watchers were rewarded with success.

THE ROBBER DETECTED.

Yesterday morning, Officer Brennan and the Clerk were at their post, and keeping a sharp look-out as usual, when they saw Lendrum enter the distributing room. They were stationed on the *qui vive*. Casting his eyes about, as if to discover if any one was observing him, Lendrum took up a package of letters, and selecting a number of them, which he placed in a side pocket of his coat, retired to his own department. He did this deliberately and silently, and his look and movements were rapid and somewhat hurried, he did not appear excited or confused.

ARRESTED.

The watchers had accomplished their weary and disagreeable task. They had detected the thief, and in so doing had the pleasure to see employe in the postoffice from the possibility of suspicion. They immediately quitted their stand and entered the building, when Officer Brennan approached the misguided young man and tapping him on the shoulder, quietly remarked:

"I want you."

Lendrum seemed to know instantly that his game was up, and, replying,

"I know what you want," suffered himself to be taken into custody without resistance or attempt to escape, which would have been entirely futile.

"I want those letters in your pocket," said the officer.

Lendrum asked him to step aside, probably wishing to avoid the mortification of disgorging his plunder in the presence of his fellow-employes. The officer complied, and Lendrum gave up the letters, eleven in number, saying as he did so: "I wish I was hung."

FRUITS OF CRIME.

He was searched for other property, and his bank book and some valuable jewelry were taken from him. The bank book showed that he had some time ago upwards of $1,100 on deposit, and a visit to the bank proved the balance of over $1,000 to his credit. He is known to have a fine horse, and among the jewelry was a diamond cross estimated to be worth $400 or $1,000, a splendid diamond pin worth probably two hundred, a diamond ring, a gentleman's gold watch, and a lady's handsome gold watch ornamented with diamonds. The diamond pin Landrum alleges was held by him as security for a loan of a hundred dollars to a member of the Legislature from this city, whose name we could not learn. The two watches and the cross, Lendrum states, were also held as collateral for money loaned to a Mr. Philpot. This account is believed to be true.

IN JAIL.

The guilty young man was lodged in jail to await an examination before U. S. Commissioner Silvercother, which will be had to-day. The examination was to have been held yesterday, but was postponed on account of the illness of Col. Bullitt, the Assistant District Attorney. A gentleman who visited Lendrum in his cell yesterday states that he said he would get off when the case came to a hearing; but that was, of course, bravado, as the evidence is too positive to admit of question. He was advised to make a virtue of necessity, and confess the full extent of his robberies, and make restitution as far as possible, as the best means of mitigating his punishment, and may possibly have done so by his last time.

THE LETTERS.

Four of the letters were addressed to the firm of M. Wagner & Co., Marshall, Michigan. They were postmarked from Quincy Jacksonville and Montgomery, Florida. One was addressed to John Johnston & Co., Port Huron, Michigan. It was also from Jacksonville, Fla. Two others were to E. C. Allen & Co., publishers of the People's Literary Company, Augusta, Maine. Another was to Mrs. Esther Munger, Pottersville, Michigan. Another was to George Sinson & Co., fine art publishers, Portland, Maine. One was to Dyer & Co., Jackson, Michigan, and the last was to H. B. Shaw, Alfred, Maine.

WHO HE IS.

T. W. Lendrum is a young man, probably twenty two years of age, of an excellent family. His father is J. B. Lendrum, of Covington, Ky., formerly for a number of years city clerk of Covington, and highly esteemed as an honorable, upright gentleman.

Mrs. Lucy Porter, the postmistress, is not a relative of the family, but an old acquaintance and friend, and her regard for the father and mother induced her to give the young man a place in the office when he came into her charge. She is, of course, much distressed at the result. A large circle of friends of the unfortunate family will sympathize with them in their affliction through the weakness of a misguided young man who has gone straight to ruin through evil courses that almost invariably end as they have in his case. His crime will almost break the hearts of his parents, and bow down their heads with grief and shame.

Lendrum has been rooming on Third street, and taking his meals at the United States. It is said that he kept a mistress in lodgings on Jefferson, between Third and Fourth streets. Until this occurrence he had been regarded as a clever young man, of affable manners and accommodating disposition, and had formed quite a circle of personal friends here. He had for some time appeared to act as banker for his brother clerks, loaning them money on occasion, and generally attended to his business in the office with regularity and promptness. It is sad that one so capable of a useful life should have so utterly destroyed his prospects in the outset.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Minstrels.

The minstrels at Masonic Temple continue to give excellent entertainments and win substantial plaudits from good houses. The different features of this company are excellent, and of any encouragement given them they are fully deserving. A matinee and evening performance are to be given to-day.

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2	7221	169	12571	336	2237
3	2788	170	8700	337	9879
4	14154	171	5856	338	12771
5	8584	172	1518	339	14129
6	10385	173	7318	340	5547
7	13853	174	10506	341	4870
8	8059	175	7425	342	8418
9	1939	176	7740	343	2194
10	5605	177	4456	344	1353
11	11483	178	5181	345	3091
12	5960	179